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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Date of transcription 10/23/90

SA [redacted] acting in an undercover capacity, along with [redacted] entered the business of RADIO SHACK [redacted] at [redacted] telephone [redacted] for the purpose of having a satellite descrambler module illegally modified as previously arranged by [redacted] with [redacted]

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Upon entering the store and greeting [redacted], [redacted] displayed a module, and [redacted] introduced a man named [redacted] (LNU), white male, age approximately 40, who appeared to be the service technician for RADIO SHACK. [redacted] examined the module and said that it could be modified, but he would prefer to just swap it out with another one he had already modified.

[redacted] and [redacted] were taken to a back storeroom where [redacted] and [redacted] pulled out a modified module. [redacted] demonstrated that the module was in working order by displaying channels such as Cinemax and Home Box Office on the television in the showroom.

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[redacted] paid $400.00 cash to [redacted] who provided a receipt.

The module is described as a General Instruments Video Cipher II, with security seal number [redacted] address/number [redacted] with a date of manufacture of 12/21/88.

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The conversation was recorded and the tape placed into evidence.

Investigation on 9/27/90 at [redacted] File # 139C-AT-64865-157

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by SA [redacted] mck Date dictated 9/28/90

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 11/16/90

Attached and made a part hereto are transcripts of two conversations recorded by [redacted] at [redacted] RADIO SHACK, in [redacted] on [redacted] and [redacted]

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Investigation on 11/14/90 at Statesboro, Georgia File # 139C-AT-64865

by SA [redacted] k:a Date dictated 11/14/90

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Date of transcription 12/12/90

Special Agents (SAs) [redacted] and [redacted] [redacted] acting in an undercover capacity, entered the business of [redacted] RADIO SHACK located in [redacted] [redacted] for the purpose of picking up a satellite descrambler module dropped off there on November 6, 1990. b6 b7C

Bureau Agents met with [redacted] of [redacted] [redacted] who retrieved the module from a back room located off the music display room. [redacted] paid [redacted] $375.00 cash in United States currency for the modification and [redacted] indicated "pd" for paid on the customer receipt.

[redacted] demonstrated that the module worked by placing it into an integrated receiver descrambler (IRD) located in the television display room. The module was able to receive scrambled channels such as The Movie Channel and Showtime. b6 b7C

Also present in the store during the transaction was [redacted] [redacted] advised SA [redacted] that the name of the lady with whom he had previously spoken was [redacted] Last Name Unknown.

The module picked up was the same module that was previously dropped off-a Video Cipher II, manufactured by GENERAL INSTRUMENTS, bearing security seal number [redacted] address number [redacted] with the date of manufacture of July 25, 1990. b4

The following descriptive data is taken from observation and from driver's license information obtained from the Georgia Crime Information Center:

Name:
Race:
Sex:
Height:
Weight:
Eyes:
Date of Birth:

[redacted] b6 b7C

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Investigation on 11/29/90 at [redacted] File # Atlanta 139C-AT-64865 b6 b7C b7E

by SAs [redacted] and [redacted] /sf Date dictated 12/5/90

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Address:

Georgia Operator's
License Number:

Name:
Race:
Sex:
Height:
Weight:
Eyes:
Date of Birth:
Address:

Georgia Operator's
License Number:

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The conversation was recorded and the tape placed into evidence.

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Date of transcription 12/21/90

Attached and made a part hereto is an investigative summary provided by [redacted] on [redacted] [redacted]

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Investigation on 12/17/90 at Statesboro, Georgia File # 139C-AT-64865

by SA [redacted] :kt Date dictated 12/17/90

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TO: [redacted]

FROM: [redacted]

RE: [redacted]/RADIO SHACK

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DATE: November 15, 1990

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Enclosed is one copy of an investigation conducted between the period [redacted]

LEADS: Savannah at Statesboro, Ga.
1. Will maintain contact with SA [redacted] and make available to him copies of all investigation conducted to date.

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[redacted]

TO: [redacted]

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FROM: [redacted]

RE: [redacted]/RADIO SHACK

DATE: November 15, 1990

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AO 93 (Rev. 5/85) Search Warrant ⊕

# United States District Court

SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA

FILED IN OFFICE
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE
9:12 A. M.
Dec 14 1990
Patricia M. Keller
Clerk, Southern District of GA

In the Matter of the Search of
(Name, address or brief description of person or property to be searched)
[redacted] RADIO SHACK
[redacted]

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## SEARCH WARRANT

CASE NUMBER: 90-208 m

TO: ANY SPECIAL AGENT OF THE FBI and any Authorized Officer of the United States

Affidavit(s) having been made before me by [redacted] who has reason to
Affiant

believe that ☐ on the person of or ☒ on the premises known as (name, description and/or location) (photo attached)
[redacted] RADIO SHACK located in [redacted] further described as a single story business constructed of off-white brick with a grey stucco-like front encasing several large windows and a double glass front door. [redacted] RADIO SHACK is located approximately [redacted] in a northerly direction from the intersection of [redacted] and [redacted] in the SOUTERN District of GEORGIA there is now concealed a certain person or property, namely (describe the person or property)

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see attached description of proerty

I am satisfied that the affidavit(s) and any recorded testimony establish probable cause to believe that the person or property so described is now concealed on the person or premises above-described and establish grounds for the issuance of this warrant.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to search on or before Dec. 24, 1990
Date

(not to exceed 10 days) the person or place named above for the person or property specified, serving this warrant and making the search (in the daytime — 6:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.) ~~(at any time in the day or night as I find reasonable cause has been established)~~ and if the person or property be found there to seize same, leaving a copy of this warrant and receipt for the person or property taken, and prepare a written inventory of the person or property seized and promptly return this warrant to G.R. SMITH
U.S. Judge or Magistrate
as required by law.

ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

Certified to 11-14 1990

12/14/90 8:51 a.m.
Date and Time Issued

at SAVANNAH, GEORGIA
City and State

Patricia M. Keller

G.R. SMITH U.S. MAGISTRATE
Name and Title of Judicial Officer

G.R. Smith
Signature of Judicial Officer

139C-AT-64865-188

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

General Instrument Videocipher II and any other makes or models of integrated receiver descramblers (IRDs); integrated circuits (chips) bearing part number [redacted] or [redacted] as part of a complete part number, or any electronic storage facility capable of containing the information contained in such integrated circuits (chips) including but not limited to computers with hard drives, floppy disks, magnetic tape, and printed hard copy and any other computer related hardware and software; Videocipher II descrambler modules appearing to be in any state of modification which are contraband as well as evidence of the crime; any and all devices used in the alteration, modification, or programming of the aforementioned integrated circuits (chips); tools used to remove the epoxy security encapsulation of the Videocipher II circuit boards; satellite television systems used to test and or view the stolen signals to include satellite dishes, televisions, and descramblers; any and all business records, whether hard copy or electronic dealing with a source of supply of the integrated circuits (chips) or with the distribution of the integrated circuits (chips) including but not limited to correspondence, memoranda, purchase orders, invoices, bills of lading, packing lists, or other shipping documents, telephone/address files and customer receipts; electronic stored communications in any telephone or computer answering system; electronic stored logs or records of transmittal located in facsimile machines; checkbooks, bank drafts, general ledgers, audit reports, or other banking records which may reflect the proceeds of the illegal transactions.

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